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## **Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

- 1. (Canceled).
- 2. (Previously presented) The method of securing as claimed in claim 13, wherein the at least one action comprises at least a first action that is undertook on at least one secure command transmitter and successively or simultaneously at least a second action that is undertook on at least one other command transmitter.
- 3. (Previously presented) The method of securing as claimed in claim 13, wherein the at least one action on the secure command transmitter activates the learning mode of the receiver.
- 4. (Previously presented) The method of securing as claimed in claim 13, wherein the at least one action on the secure command transmitter disables the at least one activation function of the learning mode with the exception of the at least one activation function of the secure command transmitters.
- 5. (Previously presented) The method of securing as claimed in claim 13, wherein the disabling of the activation function is irreversible.
- 6. (Previously presented) The method of securing as claimed in claim 13, wherein the disabling of the activation function is temporary.
- 7. (Previously presented) The method of securing as claimed in claim 13, wherein an action on a secure command transmitter causes, in the memory of the receiver, the erasure of the identity numbers of at least certain transmitters.

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- 8. (Currently amended) A device <u>comprising</u>: <u>intended to implement the</u> method as claimed in claim 13, which device comprises at least one secure command transmitter, and possibly other command transmitters, communicating with a command receiver capable of driving an element providing for the security and/or the comfort of a building, and implementing the method as claimed in claim 13.
- 9. (Previously presented) A device as claimed in claim 8, wherein the secure command transmitters comprise wireless means of remote communication with the command receiver.
- 10. (Currently amended) The device as claimed in claim 8, wherein the secure command transmitters have two dimensions small enough so that the secure command transmitters are capable of being stored in a strongbox.
- 11. (Previously presented) The device as claimed in claim 9, wherein the secure command transmitters have two dimensions small enough so that the secure command transmitters are capable of being stored in a strongbox.

## 12. (Canceled).

13. (Previously presented) A method of securing a learning mode of a device, the device including a secure first command transmitter and a command receiver, the command receiver being capable of driving an element providing for at least one of the security and the comfort of occupants of a building, the method comprising:

providing at least one first activation function for switching the command receiver to the learning mode, the first activation function being associated with the secure first command transmitter;

providing at least one second activation function for switching the command receiver to the learning mode, the second activation function being associated with at least one of the command receiver, a second command transmitter, and a main power supply; Appl. No. 10/532,895 Amendment and Reply to non-final Office Action mailed July 28, 2010

applying at least one action to the secure first command transmitter;

the application of the at least one action to the secure first command transmitter causing a disabling of the second activation function for switching the command receiver to the learning mode;

the disabling of the second activation function preventing the command receiver from being switched to the learning mode by the second activation function; and

maintaining a capability of the secure first command transmitter to switch the command receiver to the learning mode via the first activation function after the disabling of the second activation function.